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- 1 The Rumanian Navy consisted of two divisions; the Sea Division (Divizia de Mare) and the Danube Division (Divizia de Dunare). These two divisions were organized in the following manner:

- (a) The Sea Division Headquarters, known also as the Headquarters of Maritime Shore Defense (Comandamentul Apaparilor Litoralului Maritim), was located at Constanta and was under the direction of a captain (comandor plin). This division had jurisdiction over the following naval units:
- (1) All sea vessels: one submarine, two destroyers, two cruisers, four torpedo boats, two gunboats and two training sailboats.
 - (2) The Naval Officers School at Constanta.
 - (3) The Naval Supply Base at Constanta (of one battalion strength).
 - (4) The Naval Infantry (Infanteria Maritima), one company, located at Constanta.
 - (5) The Naval Coast Artillery (Artilleria de Coasta Maritima). one battalion, which was located at Constanta.
 - (6) The Hydrographic Service (Serviciul Hydrografic). One company was stationed at Constanta.

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- (b) The Headquarters of the Danube Division was located at Galati. This division was known also as the Headquarters of the Fluvial Forces (Commandamentul Fortelor Fluviale). The strength of the headquarters unit was about one naval regiment, and this unit was under the command of a captain. Subordinate to this division were the following:
- (1) The Danube gunboats (Vedetele Fluviale). This unit was approximately one company in strength. A lieutenant commander (locotenent comandor) was in charge.
 - (2) The Minesweeping Flotilla (Flotila de Draga), which also was called the Underwater Defense Flotilla (Flotila ASA). This unit of about company strength was stationed in Giurgiu /4354N-2558E/ and was under the command of a lieutenant commander. Equipment consisted of approximately six tugs and six barges.
 - (3) The Naval Infantry Regiment, composed of one naval infantry battalion and one mixed naval battalion. This unit, which was actually a basic training unit, was located in Calarasi [redacted].
 - (4) The Mixed Naval Battalion stationed at Cernavoda /4420N-2802E/. A lieutenant commander was in charge of this communications (radio, telephone) unit. Preliminary radio training was given to naval recruits.
 - (5) The Naval Officers' School located in Turnu-Magurele /4345N-2452E/. This school trained men for both the Sea and the Danube Divisions.
 - (6) The Naval Ammunition Depot which serviced the Danube Division, located somewhere in the vicinity of Cernavoda (exact location unknown).
 - (7) The Naval Supply Depot which serviced the entire Rumanian Navy. This depot was located in the woods near Bucharest (exact location unknown).

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